

[0042] CLAIMS

1. **Means for storing** information data for an information system suitable for being installed inside the motor vehicle, characterized in that the data storage means (14) is designed to be protected externally by means of a combination of materials which have the function of providing mechanical, electrical and fireproof protection.
2. **Means** according to Claim 1, characterized in that the data storage means (14) collects and stores information data relating to operational parameters of the vehicle sent from a plurality of data detection means (18) and, likewise, is capable of generating control signals in order to operate apparatus (16) installed inside the motor vehicle.
3. **Means** according to Claim 2, characterized in that by means of a first input/output device (12), situated on the steering wheel (11) of the motor vehicle, it is possible to select information data stored in the data storage means (14) so that it may be shown on a display screen situated inside the motor vehicle.
4. **Means** according to Claim 3, characterized in that the display screen is a holographic projection screen.
5. **Means** according to Claim 2, characterized in that, by means of a second input/output device (15) which may be connected externally to the data information means (14), it is possible selectively to recover stored information data.
6. **Means** according to Claim 2, characterized in that, after an accident, the data storage means (14) generates an alert signal which is sent to a monitoring and control centre via a radio communications system.
7. **Means** according to Claim 6, characterized in that the message transmitted via radio is sent in accordance with a short message communications protocol SMS.